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PSC SETS INTERVENTION DEADLINE IN TELECOMMUNICATIONS CASE

JEFFERSON CITY--Chariton Valley Telecom Corporation has filed an application with the Missouri Public Service Commission for designation as an eligible telecommunications carrier with respect to federal universal service support pursuant to Section 254 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, and the implementing regulations of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC).

Applications to intervene and formally participate in this case must be filed on or before **June 9, 2005**, with the Secretary of the Missouri Public Service Commission, P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0360. Copies of the application should be sent to: Lisa Chase, Andereck, Evans, Milne, Peace & Johnson, L.L.C., The Col. Darwin Marmaduke House, 700 East Capitol, P.O. Box 1438, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-1438; and Office of the Public Counsel, P.O. Box 2230, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-2230.

The Office of the Public Counsel is a separate state agency which represents the general public in cases before the Commission. Individual customers wishing to comment may contact either the Office of the Public Counsel (P.O. Box 2230, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-2230, telephone 573-751-4857) or the Public Service Commission Staff (P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0360, telephone 1-800-392-4211).